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**Unit 2 FOCUS ON VOCABULARY QUIZ**

*Write the letter of the term being described in the blank to the left of each defining statement below. All words WILL be used. The words on the front are for the front, and the words on the back are for the back.*

A. urban E. textiles H. rural K. trust

B. industrial F. consumer I. corporation L. mechanization

C. union G. gilded J. strike M. reconciliation

D. sweatshop

\_\_\_\_\_1. The North and South faced a difficult \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ at the end of the Civil War and had to settle or restore their differences in order to reestablish a close relationship.

\_\_\_\_\_2. This term means relating to a city; major cities and industrial centers in the United States. It is the movement of large numbers of people from rural areas to cities.

\_\_\_\_\_3. A combination of corporations formed for the purpose of reducing or eliminating competition. Rockefeller formed one in the oil industry.

\_\_\_\_\_4. An organized work stoppage (to stop work to force an employer to take action) carried out by laborers in order to force business owners to consider their demands usually for better wages and working conditions.

\_\_\_\_\_5. Having to do with business-industry

\_\_\_\_\_6. This term refers to an organized group of workers who form to ensure their rights, seek higher wages, safer working conditions, and better hours.

\_\_\_\_\_7. This term means coated with gold.

\_\_\_\_\_8. The need for farm labor was reduced as a result of this term-to equip with a machine.

\_\_\_\_\_9. Areas which are devoted to farming and agriculture, have low population densities, and have little industrial development might be described by this word.

\_\_\_\_\_10. This term refers to woven cloth – which was produced by the first factories in the United States, usually located in the New England region.

\_\_\_\_\_11. Any business which is owned by investors (shareholders) and run by a board of directors would be called this. Shares of stock in the business are sold to investors in order to raise capital for the business to make improvements. The investor will make a profit if the value of the stock goes up.

\_\_\_\_\_12. Your Science teacher would contend that this is an organism which feeds on other plants and animals. In history class, this term refers to individuals in an economy who buy and use goods.

\_\_\_\_\_13. An overcrowded factory where workers work long hours in unsafe working conditions for low wages.

N. patent Q. monopoly T. agricultural W. philanthropist

O. suffrage R. segregation U. assimilation X. migration

P. robber baron S. legacy V. disenfranchise Y. adaptation

\_\_\_\_\_14. This is a document that grants an official guarantee of rights to an inventor for his or her invention.

\_\_\_\_\_15. People who give large sums of money to charity. Many Captains of Industry from the early 20th Century became one. Today Bill Gates and Oprah Winfrey are considered one.

\_\_\_\_\_16. This is **A** company that has NO competition. Many of you enjoy playing this game because the goal is to own EVERYTHING so you can collect higher rent.

\_\_\_\_\_17. A part of the \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ process for newly arrived immigrants to the United States from Europe was learning their new nation’s language and adjusting to the new customs and traditions of the place in order to become part of the American culture.

\_\_\_\_\_18. Something handed down from generation to generation is a \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_. Reconstruction left extreme racism, segregation, and discrimination to future generations.

\_\_\_\_\_19. After the Reconstruction came to an end, southern states’ governments attempted to \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ their African-American citizens by using Jim Crow laws such as poll taxes, literacy tests, and threats of violence to discourage black men from voting.

\_\_\_\_\_20. Farmers had to make many \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in order for them to successfully settle and live on the Great Plains. They utilized the sod of the Plains for housing, and improved farming methods that help their crops grow.

\_\_\_\_\_21. This means the right to vote. African-American men won this right with the passage of the 15th Amendment. It wasn’t until 1919 and the passage of the 19th Amendment that women won this right.

\_\_\_\_\_22. This means to move from one place to another. A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ of freedmen to the West occurred after the Civil war.

\_\_\_\_\_23. A business leader who became rich through dishonest measures was called this.

\_\_\_\_\_24. This term means enforced separation of the races. It was practiced in the South until the 1960’s.

\_\_\_\_\_25. This has to do with farming: The \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ industry provides food to Americans and is an important part of our economy.